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UNCLE SAM'S FOREST RANGERS

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DATE AUGUST 22, 1941

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ANNOUNCER

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REMARKS





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2. MUSIC: THEME

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4. swine, goats - graze each year in the National Forests under

5. permit from Uncle Sam's Forest Rangers. Considered practically

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7. and chops for our tables, wool for our clothing, leathers for

8. our shoes. But behind all these things there is a stirring

9. story of range protection, development and management. That

10. these products come to us consistently every year is due, in

11. great part, to the long-time plans originally conceived by

12. our earliest government foresters. From the very beginning,

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14. engaged in the livestock industry, and as a basis for the

15. establishment and maintenance of homes and communities. Range

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17. prevented further damage and denudation. But now, let's

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19. Ranger Station we find Ranger Jim Robbins, his wife, Bess, his

20. assistant Jerry Quick and Jerry's sweetheart, Mary Halloway

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2. BESS: There goes your walk, Mary.
3. JIM: (CHUCKLES) I bet Jerry's afraid you'd get lost again. Maybe
4. JERRY: he's thinking about old Tom Calhoun.
5. MARY & JERRY: Tom Calhoun!
6. JIM: Yeah, Old Irish Tom, the prospector that lives over south of
7. Cloud Peak.
8. JERRY: (DRYLY) We know where he lives, Jim.
9. JIM: I met him in town today getting supplies. He asked about you,
10. Jerry.
11. JERRY: Yeah?
12. JIM: And he asked about you, too, Mary. Took me a while to find
13. out who he meant though. Kept talking about a swell-looking
14. colleen, as he put it. By the name of Miss Hallway.
15. ALL LAUGH
16. BESS: You and Jerry act almost as though you know Old Irish Tom, Mary.
17. JERRY: Yeah, we do, Mrs. Robbins.
18. MARY: Yes, indeed we do.
19. BESS: I guess Jerry would know Tom all right, but how did you ever
20. happen to meet him, Mary?
21. JERRY: Oh, what's the difference? Mary knows him, and that's all
22. there is to it.
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13. Talbot family in their cabin as I recall it.
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1. MARY: Here, Jerry-y-y. I'm over here!
2. (SOUND OF HORSES'S HOOFS COMING UP)
3. JERRY: (COMING UP) Whoa, Spark....Boy, am I glad I found you! I
4. hollered and hollered and when you didn't answer I was sure
5. you were lost.
6. MARY: Jerry, let's get out of here. I'm frightened.
7. JERRY: Don't worry, Mary. We're starting back right now. Look,
8. take my coat here. This fog is wet as rain...There, that
9. better?
10. MARY: Thank you, Jerry.
11. JERRY: Let's go....Make Trinket keep up, Mary.
12. HORSES' HOOFBEATS FADING OUT
13. SLIGHT PAUSE
14. FADE IN HOOFBEATS, SUSTAIN
15. MARY: Jerry, are you sure you're going in the right direction?
16. JERRY: We're going down hill, aren't we? We must be going right.
17. Besides, I've given Spark his head. He'll take us home; he's
18. bound to.
19. MARY: We're lost, is that it, Jerry?
20. JERRY: (LAUGHS SHORTLY) I'm afraid so, Mary. But Spark will get
21. us back all right. Please don't worry....Shucks, if this fog
22. would only lift!
23. MARY: I...I'm cold, Jerry....And....and....
24. JERRY: Please, Mary. We'll be all right....Hey, what's the matter
25. Spark?





1. HORSE WHINNIES

2. JERRY: Whoa, boy, whoa....What is it? Look. It's a trail, Mary;  
3. Sparks found a trail.

4. MARY: Where will it take us, Jerry?

5. JERRY: H-m-m. I ought to know this trail....Let's see...That clump  
6. of pines over there looks familiar....I know! It's Tom  
7. Calhoun's trail. We're all right, Mary. We're all right.

8. MARY: Did you say Tom Calhoun?

9. JERRY: Yeah. Old Irish Tom the prospector. His cabin's just up  
10. ahead... See, there it is. And he's home, Mary. There's  
11. smoke comin' out the chimney. See?

12. MARY: Do you...do you know him well, Jerry?

13. JERRY: Yeah. Best fellow in the world. Whoa Spark. Hold still  
14. Trinket. (HOOF BEATS OUT) (CALLS) Hey, Calhoun!...Hello Tom!  
15. Tom Calhoun!

16. TOM: (OFF) Hello yourself. Who are ye? What d'ye want?

17. JERRY: This is Jerry....Jerry Quick.

18. TOM: (OFF) Who d'ye say ye are?

19. JERRY: Jerry...You know, Ranger Quick.

20. TOM: (OFF) Oh! Ranger Quick, eh? (COMING ON) Well, I'll be blowed.  
21. What are yez doin' up here a day like this? And the missus  
22. with ye at that? Come along in here where it's warm. Ye must  
23. be about perished.

24. JERRY: Thanks, Tom. We'd sure like to get warm, and dry out a little.  
25. We're soaked.

There, boy, what is it? Look, it's a trail, Mary.

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Where will it take us, Jerry?

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of pines over there looks familiar... I know! It's for

Calvin's trail. We're all right, Mary. We're all right.

Did you say the Calvins?

Yeah. Old Calvin for the prospector. His cousin's dead up

to see... do you know him well, Jerry?

Yeah. Last season in the north. When Sparks told still

Calvin. Well, yourself, who are you? What day's today?

That's the day... Jerry, quick.

(TO THE OLD MAN'S HOUSE, SHE (JONING ON) Well, I'll be

What are you doing up here a day like this? And the night

What are you doing? Come along in here where the wind is



1. TOM: Sure and indade you are. Come along in. Here now, let me  
2. help you, missus. I'll take ye right in me arms out of the  
3. saddle and put ye by the fire....

4. MARY: (PROTESTING) Oh, Mr. Calhoun. You don't have to do that.  
5. I can get off...

6. TOM: Nary a bit of it. Ye're cold and wet an' stiff. I'll set  
7. ye by the fire...That's right, Ranger, put your horses in  
8. that shed yonder an' pull the saddles off 'em.

9. JERRY: (OFF) Be with you in a minute, Mary.

10. TOM: Oh, but this is a terrible day to be out in. Now, into the  
11. cabin with ye! (STAMPS INTO CABIN, DOOR CLOSES) Here, sit ye  
12. down and we'll have off with them wet boots.

13. MARY: Oh, Mr. Calhoun you're too kind. I can take them off.

14. TOM: Nary a bit of it, missus. Just you rest back easy like. I'll  
15. tend to ye myself.

16. MARY: (VOICE TREMBLING) You're much too kind. I'm not used to so  
17. much attention.

18. TOM: (GRUNTS) There. One of 'em off. (THUMP) Glory! Yer boot's  
19. as wet as if ye'd been a-wading in it....

20. DOOR OPENS AND CLOSES

21. JERRY: (COMING ON) Hey, what's coming off here?

22. MARY: (LAUGHING WEAKLY) My boots, silly.

23. TOM: Sit ye down, Ranger, and get those boots of your own off.  
24. Ye're as wet as she. Sure and yez picked a crazy time to go  
25. aridin'...(GRUNTS) ALL right, now off with them stockings.  
Ye'll both have to soak your feet in the same tub. I've only  
got me one tub, ye see.

Get me one tub, ye sea.

Yes! both have to seek your feet in the same cup.

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1. MARY & JERRY: Oh no... We don't need a tub.

2. TOM: (RATTLING TUB) Here's the tub and soak 'em ye must. It's

3. the best prevention. Besides, I've got hot water a plenty.

4. Nice and hot.

5. SOUND OF WATER POURING IN TUB

6. JERRY: (LAUGHS) Well, if we must we must. You first, Mary.

7. MARY: Oh, Mr. Calhoun, I'm sure we're giving you a great deal

8. of trouble.

9. TOM: Nary a bit of it, missus. Ye and the Ranger man here are

10. the first human bein's I've laid eyes on, coming six weeks

11. ...There, don't that feel good?

12. MARY: Ye...s...s. It's fine.

13. TOM: Now I'll just get ye a bite to eat and somethin' hot to

14. drink. Won't take but a minute sure.

15. JERRY: Never mind bothering, Tom. It'll be enough if we can just

16. get warm. We'll be riding on directly. Got to get

17. back to the Ranger Station tonight.

18. MARY: Yes, Mrs. Robbins will be worried about us.

19. TOM: Nary a step out of this here cabin will yez go this night.

20. It's plumb dark now an' thick fog and ye'd never find your

21. way out...and look there at the missus shiverin' like she

22. had the ague. No aizee. I'll be fixin' yex some supper....

23. it won't be much...just some sour dough and coffee, pertaters

24. and bacon...(RATTLES PANS) No, not much but plenty such

25. as it is.

... we don't need a trip.

... the trip and cook 'em up meat. ...  
... I've got hot water a plenty.

... and then

... to go to the kitchen is the

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1. MARY: Can't I help you, Mr. Calhoun? I can cook...

2. TOM: Nary a bit of it. Ye just keep your feet in that tub and

3. rest easy. Ye're in no shape to be workin' around. (GOING OFF)

4. An' I'll be havin' more hot water for yez immediate, besides

5. JERRY: (SOTTO) We better just humor him, Mary. Let him have his

6. way.

7. TOM: (OFF) Eh? What's that?

8. JERRY: Mary and I were just saying how much we appreciate your

9. kindness, Tom.

10. MARY: We're putting you to so much trouble, Mr. Calhoun.

11. TOM: Nary a bit of it. It's not often I have such fine visitors

12. a visitin' me. I'm feared it's not much I have to offer.

13. But it's what I have all the time and I hope yez can put up

14. with it this one night.

15. JERRY: It's fine, Tom, mighty fine. But we can't stay all night.

16. We've got to get back to the Station.

17. TOM: Nary a bit of it. It's all fixed, my boy. I'll sleep in

18. me big chair by the stove like I've done many a night and

19. ye and the missus can have the bunk. It's not much, but...

20. MARY: (WEAKLY) Jerry!

21. JERRY: (CLEARS THROAT) Look, Tom. Miss Halloway here, she's not

22. my wife.. she's...

23. TOM: Ow-oo, Not your missus?...Ye don't say! Well then, me fine

24. young buckaroo, she can have the bunk. And ye..ye..(FADE)

25. can roll up on the floor...

(PAUSE)





1. MARY: (FADING IN) Poor Jerry...he was so stiff and sore next day.  
 2. JERRY: Believe me that was the hardest spot I ever tried to sleep  
 3. on.  
 4. JIM: (CHUCKLES) Well, I guess it helped you learn that a Ranger  
 5. has to take things as they come.  
 6. BESS: (LAUGHING) Yes, but just the same Jerry's been more careful  
 7. about getting lost ever since.  
 8. MARY: You knew about it, Mrs. Robbins? You and Mr. Robbins both  
 9. knew?  
 10. JIM: Of course we knew, Mary. Old Irish Tom told me the whole  
 11. story about a week after it happened.  
 12. ALL LAUGH FADING OUT  
 13. MUSICAL FINALE  
 14. ANNOUNCER: Uncle Sam's Forest Rangers comes to you each Friday over the  
 15. National Farm and Home Hour as a presentation of the National  
 16. Broadcasting Company with the cooperation of the Forest  
 17. Service, United States Department of Agriculture.  
 18. Next Sunday, August 24, the town of Cody, Wyoming is  
 19. celebrating the 50th anniversary of the establishment of the  
 20. Shoshone National Forest -- the first national forest in the  
 21. United States. A gala day of festivities will mark the  
 22. Shoshone's arrival at the half-century mark. Earle H. Clapp,  
 23. Acting Chief of the U.S. Forest Service will be on hand,  
 24. along with a number of old-timers who served as Rangers on  
 25. the Shoshone during the early days of its existence.

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 2. Believe me that was the hardest spot I ever tried to sleep  
 3. on.  
 4. (CHUCKLES) Well, I guess it helped you learn that a Ranger  
 5. has to take things as they come.  
 6. (LAUGHING) Yes, but just the same Jerry's been more careful  
 7. about getting lost ever since.  
 8. You knew about it, Mrs. Robbins? You and Mr. Robbins both  
 9. knew?  
 10. Of course we knew, Mary. Old Irish Tom told us the whole  
 11. story about a week after it happened.  
 12. ALL LAUGH FADING OUT  
 13. MUSICAL FINALE  
 14. ANNOUNCER: Uncle Sam's Forest Rangers comes to you each Friday over the  
 15. National Farm and Home Hour as a presentation of the National  
 16. Broadcasting Company with the cooperation of the Forest  
 17. Service, United States Department of Agriculture.  
 18. Next Sunday, August 24, the town of Cody, Wyoming is  
 19. celebrating the 50th anniversary of the establishment of the  
 20. Shoshone National Forest -- the first national forest in the  
 21. United States. A gala day of festivities will mark the  
 22. Shoshone's arrival at the half-century mark. Earle H. Gage,  
 23. Acting Chief of the U.S. Forest Service will be on hand,  
 24. along with a number of old-timers who served as Rangers on  
 25. the Shoshone during the early days of its existence.

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